

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2012-023

**CONSTITUTING THE BICOL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY CENTRUM  
DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

**WHEREAS**, the Bicol Science and Technology Centrum (BSTC) was established through the joint efforts of the Department of Science and Technology and the City Government of Naga with the prime objective of enhancing the science consciousness and literacy of Bicolanos through science programs and activities characterized by fun, adventure and self-discovery;

**WHEREAS**, since its establishment on 15 June 1995, the BSTC has generated interest, encouraged the appreciation of science, and inspired a life-long desire to explore scientific concepts that are helpful, applicable and practical in day-to-day living for students and visitors alike, particularly the young;

**WHEREAS**, the BSTC, being not only a destination for educational tours, but also an important source of valuable knowledge, needs constant renovation and retrofitting of its building, and upgrading of its existing galleries, exhibits and facilities to make it more pleasing and attractive to visiting public;

**WHEREAS**, to facilitate these needs, there is need to constitute a committee comprised of individuals from various offices and agencies of the city and national government including those from the academe;

**NOW THEREFORE, I, JOHN G. BONGAT**, Mayor of the City of Naga, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

**SECTION 1. BICOL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY CENTRUM  
DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE** – A Committee shall be comprised of the following:

Chairman	- City Administrator
Co-Chairman	- Head, Science and Technology Manpower Education, Research and Promotions - DOST
Executive Director	- Chief-of-Office, Bicol Science and Technology Centrum
Members	- Chairman, SP Committee on Education Provincial Director, Dept. of Science and Technology Science Supervisor, DepEd-Naga City Chief-of-Office, Arts, Culture, and Tourism Office Administrator, Naga City School Board City Engineer Dean, College of Engineering of Bicol State College of Applied Sciences & Technology City Social Welfare and Development Officer

SECTION 2. FUNCTIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES – The Committee shall have the following functions:

1. Formulate a development plan for the Bicol Science and Technology Centrum;
2. Build consensus and cooperation among key stakeholders so they can become effective partners in the efforts to further develop the BSTC;
3. Upon approval of the plan, oversee and manage the implementation of the plan in coordination with other government agencies and key stakeholders;
4. To identify, explore and establish partnerships with local, national and even international entities, both for the public and private sectors, for the funding requirements of the project;
5. To promote the Science Centrum as a tourist destination;
6. To perform other tasks necessary in the realization of the project.

Section 3. Effectivity. This Executive Order shall be effective immediately.

Issued this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November, 2012 at Naga City, Philippines.

**JOHN G. BONGAT**  
City Mayor

Attested by:

**FLORENCIO T. MONGOSO, JR., CSEE**  
Department Head II and Acting City Administrator